may be spent on the tutorial staff of the Primary and Anglo-Vernacular Schools. The Deputy Inspectors and their Assistants exercise sufficient supervision over Kanarese and Anglo-Vernacular Schools. The Inspector-General of Education can conveniently do the work of inspecting High Schools.

Reply of Government.—Noted for consideration.

SUBJECT No. 173.

Annual medical examination of students.

Mr. B. Narasinga Rao, Mysore District Board.

Summary of discussion.—It has been noted by school-masters of experience that there seems to be some deterioration in physique and eye-sight of school-going boys, and it is therefore advisable that a system of annual medical inspection of Anglo-Vernacular Schools, High Schools and Colleges may be instituted. Such a system obtains in Japan at the present day. The heads of Schools may be requested to devote in their annual reports a paragraph dealing with the physical improvements of the boys, giving tabular statements showing the average height, chest-girth, weight, and condition of eye-sight of the boys in each class of the institution. These details may be furnished by the inspecting Medical officer.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 174.

A committee to translate English scientific works.

Mr. Raghavachar, Nanjangud Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—A committee may be formed to translate into Kanarese English books on Science and Arts.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 175.

Age limit for Lower Secondary Examination.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is prayed that the age limit for private students appearing for the Lower Secondary Examination may be removed.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 176.

Establishment of Sanskrit Schools out of temple and Matt funds.

Mr. C. Srinivasa Rao, Chikmagalur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—It is requested that charges on account of establishment of Sanskrit Schools may be met out of temple and Matt funds.

Reply of Government.—This cannot be done.

SUBJECT No. 177.

Separate Sanskrit Colleges for the Virasaiva sect.

Mr. Siddagangappa, Chamrajnagar Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Separate Sanskrit Patasalas may be established for the Virasaiva sect as students of that sect are not admitted into the Sanskrit Colleges at Mysore and Bangalore.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 178.

Increased scholarships to certain students in the Maharaja's Sanskrit College, Mysore.

Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit, Yedatore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Scholarships given to students of the Maharaja's Sanskrit College may be doubled in the case of those students who having passed the Vidvat Examination in Veda, are studying for another examination, and of those who having passed this examination take up a third Sastra for study. The scholarships may be fixed at 5, 10 and 15 Rs.

Reply of Government.—The matter is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 179.

Amarakosa to be taught in village schools.

Messrs. N. Venkataramaiya, Hassan District Board, and S.R. Balakrishna Rao, B.A., LL.B., Shimoga Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—(1) No orders have been passed on this subject, which was discussed last year. As a study of Amarakosa improves pronunciation and is a good foundation to those who go in for Sanskrit study, it is prayed that its teaching may be enforced.

(2) Amarakosa may be added to the curriculum of studies for the A, B, 1st and 2nd classes in Taluk and Hobli Schools.

(3) Amarakosa may be taught in Lower Secondary classes.

Reply of Government.—Orders will be issued for teaching Amarakosa from Class III upwards.

SUBJECT No. 180.

Kannada Text-books.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, B.A., LL. B., Shimoga Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—The Education Department is getting its books printed by Messrs. Macmillan & Co. The price of Balabodha is increased on this account from 1 anna to 1½ annas. There are some private printing presses at Bangalore and Mysore and also a Government Press. There does not seem to be any objection to have the Departmental books printed here at a cheaper rate.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 181.

Allotment for school buildings.

(*a*) Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality, and Mr. Raghavachar, Nanjangud Taluk.

(*b*) Mr. Y. Rama Rao, Tumkur Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—(*a*) It is prayed that a separate allotment may be made for the construction of school buildings.

(*b*) Instead of insisting upon the villagers providing buildings for village schools, the Government may be pleased to provide such buildings.

Reply of Government.—(*a*) Is being done. (*b*) Noted.

SUBJECT No. 182.

Enhancement of the Educational budget grant.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is prayed that the budget grant for the Educational Department may be raised.

Reply of Government.—The grant will be increased as far as possible.

SUBJECT No. 183.

Portion of Muzrai Funds to be utilized for education in villages.

Mr. Raghavachar, Nanjangud Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—A portion of the Muzrai Fund may be used to impart education in villages.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT No. 184.

Ethical and religious education.

Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore City Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—It is prayed that a portion of temple and Matt funds may be used for ethical and religious education.

Reply of Government.—Noted.